

General Terms and Definitions

Gross Weight	The weight of the commodity and its packaging or tare.
Identity	The name of the commodity; for example “Chocolate chips”.
Net Weight	The weight of the commodity excluding packaging material.
Principal Display Panel	The side or sides of a package intended to be viewed by the consumer. The identity and quantity declarations must be on each principal display panel.
Quantity Declaration	A statement of the net amount of the commodity that is in the package. Generally this will be listed in both metric and inch-pound units.
Tare Weight	The weight of a container, wrapper, or other material that is deducted from the gross weight to obtain the net weight.